

JAMES E. LEACH



1887—Born in Baltimore, Md., of American parentage.
 1894-1902—Attended public schools. Sold newspapers after school hours.
 1903-1910—Started to work for Majestic Sport Co., Learned trade as shirt cutter and was afterward made head of department. Also studied vocal music and was choir leader of Baptist Church and soloist of the Episcopal Church.
 1910—Married Miss Myrtle Crook of Baltimore, Md.
 1914—Early in the year, worked on French Government contract. Inspected first shipment of shirts sent abroad for wounded soldiers in French hospitals.
 1914—November, entered 5 and 10c business for S. S. Kress Co. at Baltimore, Md. Worked for T. M. Hayes and E. T. Hoffer.
 1915—November, transferred to Trenton, N. J., store No. 65.
 1916-1919—Assistant to F. H. Crispeus and E. H. Rebert.
 1919—Assistant to E. J. Robinson, Newark, N. J., store No. 31.
 1920—February, signed contract to manage first store No. 46, Kensington.

JAMES L. LOGAN



1889—Born on a farm at Waddington, St. Lawrence County, N. Y., of American parentage.
 1896-1901—Attended country school.
 1902—Parents moved to Stark, St. Lawrence County, N. Y.
 1902-1903—Attended country school.
 1903-1904—Lived with uncle on farm three miles from Waddington, doing chores for board while attending the Waddington Union School. Worked on farm summer vacations. Entered high school in fall.
 1905-1907—Attended Potsdam Normal School. Left in February, 1906, on account of ill health—worked in lumber camp. Re-entered school in the fall, waiting on table and washing dishes in boarding house for board. Worked in lumber camp summer vacations. Often walked home twenty-four miles, on Friday afternoons on account of home-sickness.
 1908-1912—Attended St. Lawrence University at Canton, N. Y. Played semi-professional baseball in summer. Graduated 1912 with degree of B. S.
 1912—First real job. Hired by W. C. Fisher as stockman for S. S. Kress Co. at store No. 15, Albany, N. Y., G. C. Fisher, Mgr. Carried stock up forty-seven steps thereby losing twenty-four pounds and other unessential things gained with a college education. Advanced to floor work.
 1913—Continued floor work under C. Forsythe and E. T. McGlynn. Transferred to No. 27, Troy, N. Y.—H. D. Kittinger, Mgr. Again transferred to No. 19, Worcester, Mass., as assistant manager—Mr. Beittel, Mgr.
 1914—Married Miss Ruth Hughes, of Worcester.
 1914-1915—Assistant manager No. 19.
 1916-1918—Manager No. 22, Petersburg, Va.
 1919—Manager No. 47, Pawtucket, R. I.